

## **MINUTES**

### **MONTANA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES 65th LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

#### **JOINT APPROPRIATIONS SUBCOMMITTEE ON HEALTH AND HUMAN SERVICES**

**Call to Order:** Chair Rob Cook, on February 16, 2017 at 8:00 AM, in Room 102 Capitol

#### **ROLL CALL**

**Members Present:**

Rep. Rob Cook, Chair (R)  
Sen. Bob Keenan, Vice Chair (R)  
Rep. Nancy Ballance (R)  
Sen. Mary Caferro (D)  
Rep. Jon A. Knokey (R)  
Sen. Albert Olszewski (R)  
Rep. Marilyn Ryan (D)

**Members Excused:** None

**Members Absent:** None

**Staff Present:** Josh Poulette, Legislative Branch  
Carolyn Tschida, Committee Secretary

**Audio Committees:** These minutes are in outline form only. They provide a list of participants and a record of official action taken by the committee. The link to the audio recording of the meeting is available on the Legislative Branch website.

**Committee Business Summary:** Committee Business

**Committee Business:**

00:00:45 Chair Cook  
00:01:15 Erica Johnston, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)  
[EXHIBIT\(jhh34a01\)](#)  
[EXHIBIT\(jhh34a02\)](#)  
[EXHIBIT\(jhh34a03\)](#)

00:02:12 Chair Cook  
00:02:19 Rep. Knokey  
00:03:05 Chair Cook  
00:03:44 Marie Matthews, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)  
00:04:29 Rep. Knokey  
00:05:02 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
00:06:50 Chair Cook  
00:06:57 Sen. Caferro  
00:07:10 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
00:08:40 Sen. Caferro  
00:11:01 Marie Matthews, DPHHS  
00:12:51 Sen. Caferro  
00:13:48 Mary Dalton, Department of Public Health and Human Services (DPHHS)  
00:13:57 Sen. Caferro  
00:14:14 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:14:52 Sen. Caferro  
00:15:08 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:15:22 Rep. Ballance  
00:15:37 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:16:07 Rep. Ballance  
00:16:55 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:18:01 Rep. Ryan  
00:18:29 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:21:38 Rep. Knokey  
00:22:11 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:25:15 Rep. Knokey  
00:25:39 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:27:12 Rep. Knokey  
00:27:55 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:29:04 Rep. Knokey  
00:29:37 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:31:27 Rep. Ballance  
00:32:12 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:32:55 Rep. Ballance  
00:33:30 Erica Johnston, DPHHS  
00:34:05 Rep. Ballance  
00:34:34 Marie Matthew, DPHHS  
00:34:53 Sen. Caferro  
00:35:32 Mary Dalton, DPHHS  
00:36:27 Pat Sullivan, Office of Budget Project and Planning (OBPP)  
00:37:10 Sen. Caferro  
00:39:06 Chair Cook

**ADJOURNMENT**

Adjournment: 00:39:48

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Carolyn Tschida, Secretary

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